

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 526
By Hamilton

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Kay Tidwell on her meritorious service to the Senate.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay homage to those dedicated legislative employees who have faithfully served this Body with the utmost diligence and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Kay Tidwell has served the Senate with acumen and alacrity as Executive Secretary for Senator Milton Hamilton, Deputy Speaker, for the past eleven years; and

WHEREAS, during her exemplary tenure, Kay has worked closely with Senator Hamilton, and she has become a true friend as well as a valuable employee; and

WHEREAS, Kay Tidwell is a kind, thoughtful and considerate person who loves people; and

WHEREAS, Kay began her estimable career in state government as an employee of the Department of Personnel; she joined Senator Hamilton's staff on February 1, 1985; and

WHEREAS, she is the daughter of Mary Penetta Tidwell and the late Lennie Leon "Buddy" Tidwell; and

WHEREAS, her many accomplishments and her stellar career aside, Kay is most appreciative of the love and companionship she shares with her son and daughter-in-law, Paul Elwyn Phillips, III and Samantha Phillips and her beloved dog, Streaker; and

WHEREAS, as Senator Hamilton has announced that he will quit these hallowed halls at the adjournment sine die of the 1996 session, Kay has also decided to pursue greener pastures, wherever they may be; and

WHEREAS, Kay Tidwell has sacrificed personal concerns to faithfully serve the Senate in a manner that should be emulated by all legislative employees, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby honor and commend Kay Tidwell on her meritorious service to the Senate as Executive Secretary for Senator Milton Hamilton, and thank her for a job well done.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we wish Kay much continued success and happiness in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.